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This application claims priority from U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/460,478 filed in April 3, 2003. The entire disclosure of the provisional application is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference.

Enclosed for filing with the above-identified utility patent application, please find the following:

1. Specification (Total Pages of Text, including Abstract and Claims: 24)
2. Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets: 4) ☐ FORMAL ☒ INFORMAL
3. Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i).
4. Application Data Sheet
5. **NOT PAYING ANY FEES AT THIS TIME.**

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BASIC FEE:						\$385.00	OR		\$770.00
TOTAL CLAIMS:	27	-	20	7	X \$9 =		OR	X \$18 =	\$126.00
INDEP. CLAIMS:	3	-	3	0	X \$43 =		OR	X \$86 =	\$0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					+ \$145 =		OR	+\$290 =	\$0.00
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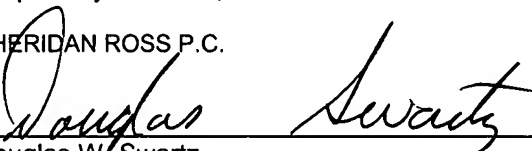
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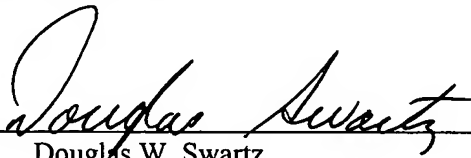
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